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### **Via Electronic Filing**

Florida Public Service Commission Attn: Clerk's Office 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399

Re: Rule 25-18.020 - Windstream Florida, LLC's – Annual Pole Inspection and Vegetation Management Report

Dear Clerk's Office:

Attached for filing, please find Windstream Florida, LLC's first Annual Pole Inspection and Vegetation Management Report.

Should there be any questions regarding this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

/s/ Nicole Winters
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Senior Counsel

Enclosure

# Windstream Florida, LLC Annual Pole Inspection and Vegetation Management Report Rule 25-18.020(6)

## Year 1 of 1st 8 Year Cycle

	Requirement	2022 Report	2023 Report
(a)1	Total # of poles	January 1 <sup>st</sup> - 456	N/A
		December 31st - 456	
(a)2	# of poles scheduled for inspection	0	N/A
(a)3	# of poles actually inspected	0	N/A
(a)4	# of poles that failed inspection	0	N/A
(a)5	# of poles strength tested	0	N/A
(a)6	# of poles that failed strength testing	0	N/A
(a)7	# of poles repaired	0	N/A
(a)8	# of poles replaced	0	N/A
(a)9	# of miles of vegetation management conducted	0	N/A
(b)1	# of poles to be inspected	N/A	0
(b)2	# of miles for which vegetation management will occur	N/A	0

### (a)5 Inspection Procedures

Windstream trains its technicians to visually inspect poles as they conduct their daily duties and report any issues. In addition to visual inspections, technicians are trained and required to complete testing before climbing any poles, like with visual inspections, if an issue is found they are reported.

### (a) 7 Summary of Completed Repairs

None to report for this filing.

### (a)8 Reasons for Pole Replacements

None to report for this filing.